

## ABSTRACT

A latex of a cyano-bearing copolymer rubber which contains units derived from an  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ -ethylenically unsaturated nitrile monomer in an amount of 10 to 30% by mass and has an iodine number of 250 or below, a Mooney viscosity ( $ML_{1+4}, 100^\circ C$ ) of 10 to 120, and a difference ( $\Delta T_g$ ) between extrapolated glass transition initiation temperature ( $T_{ig}$ ) and extrapolated glass transition ending temperature ( $T_{eg}$ ) of 15°C or below as determined by differential scanning calorimetry; and fluid treatments for bonding and adhesive compositions, containing the latex. The adhesive compositions are excellent in heat resistance, oil resistance, and adhesion to vulcanized rubbers, and exhibit tackiness.